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SUBJECT: GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATIONS IN WTO - DOMINICAN
REPUBLIC RESPONSE

REF: A. STATE 180474

[1](#)B. SANTO DOMINGO 4280

[1](#)1. (SBU) DCM on October 4 delivered Ref A talking points to Deputy Foreign Minister Alejandra Liriano. She had no immediate response, but promised to pass the information to the appropriate Dominican Government officials. Based on our prior contacts (Ref B), Embassy understands that the Dominican Republic agrees with the United States on this issue.

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